

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, *ex rel.*
State Engineer

Plaintiff,

vs.

ROMAN ARAGON, *et al.*,

Defendants.

69cv07941-BB

RIO CHAMA STREAM SYSTEM

Section 7
Jicarilla Apache Nation

JOINT STATUS REPORT

Pursuant to the August 19, 2009 Scheduling Order (Doc. No. 9490), and the July 22, 2010 Status Report (Doc. No. 9915) regarding the Jicarilla Apache Nation's outstanding state law-based water rights claims, the State of New Mexico and the Jicarilla Apache Nation, by and through their undersigned counsel, file this joint status report.

The State has been preparing a proposed consent order describing the water rights of the Jicarilla Apache Nation in Section 7 of the Rio Chama. The State anticipates that it will need an additional 3 to 4 weeks before submitting it to the Jicarilla Apache Nation. The Nation will then need time to review the proposed Consent Order. The parties will submit an agreed consent order or a further Status Report describing their progress by June 17, 2011.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 11th day of April 2011, I filed the foregoing electronically through the CM/ECF system, which caused the parties on the electronic service list, as more fully set forth in the Notice of Electronic Filing, to be served via electronic mail.

/s/ Ed Newville

Edward G. Newville